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<i>Bilal Ibrahim, University of California-Berkeley</i> |
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The World of Image from the Middle Ages until Today
<i>Eric van Lit, Yale University</i> |
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<i>Yasmine Farouk, Yale University and Cairo University</i> |
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in Nineteenth-Century Iran
<i>Ranin Kazemi, Yale University and Kansas State University</i> |
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<i>Hania Sholkamy, Yale University and American University in Cairo</i> |
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<i>Carla Power, Journalist and Author</i> |
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<i>Toby C. Jones, Rutgers University</i> |

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